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In re Application of: Kong, et al

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Change the sentence under the heading "Cross-Reference to Related Application" to read as follows:

--This application is a continuation of copending U.S. application Serial No. 08/823,365, filed March 24, 1997. --.

Remarks

The sentence being corrected was added by the Preliminary Amendment dated November 17, 2000.

Respectfully submitted,

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